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FOR: PROCESS FOR THE  
PREPARATION OF EXPANDABLE  
VINYLAROMATIC POLYMERS

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 25, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Claims 1-14 remain pending in the application.